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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Jan Carlsson et al : Paper No.:  
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For: **Ligand Binding Assay and Kit With a Separation Zone for Disturbing Analytes**

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated December 26, 2006, please amend the present  
application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.